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A) YUGOSLAV GROUND FORCES

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a) HeadquartersApr 51- U.D.Ba. Headquarters

SALCANO

Quarters noted.

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Commanding officer: a captain, a native of LJUBLJANA.

The former commanding officer, captain STRNAT, is still in SALCANO.

About 30 officers serve ~~with~~ this headquarters.b) Miscellaneous ~~not~~ military information

Mar 51- Cominformist inscriptions in barracks

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in February 1951 the following words were found on ~~the walls of barracks~~
a barracks wall: "Zivio drug Stalin" (^{comrade} long live Stalin). The military police
intervened immediately and had the handwriting of all the soldiers who
were quartered in the barracks examined but they did not discover the guilty
party, who ^{had} disappeared.

B) ECONOMIC INFORMATION1) Industry

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Mar 51- "ZELJEZARNA" (Iron Works)

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a) Production

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~~Finished products~~

Finished products

- nails of every type
- bedsprings
- metal rods for buildings
- iron
- wire of all dimensions
- copper wire
- 2 iron tanks of huge dimensions for the electric power plant at ZIROVNICA

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[redacted] They were assembled there.

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Copper wire production:

~~Every day 10-12 rail cars~~ 10-12 rail ^{cars} loads a day.

Loading: almost always at night.

Destination of product not known.

Restricted unit: There is in the establishment a restricted unit ~~into~~ which it is strictly forbidden to enter unless one is employed there.

It is rumored ~~that~~ the unit builds parts for tanks.

Arrival of raw material: Approximately every ten days 7-8 tons of tin arrive at the establishment [redacted]

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Machinery from abroad : At the beginning of this year (1951) 700 ^{instruments} ~~apparatuses~~ arrived at the establishment, each packed in sealed boxes 80 x 30 x 15 cm.

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[redacted]
[redacted] they were probably pressure gauges as they consisted of

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two main parts:

- a glass retort
- an ammeter

In November 1950 2 12-ton cranes arrived [redacted] each mounted on a truck.

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Manager of the establishment: Engineer JANKO ^TOKRAR, [redacted]

Foreign engineers: 3 Germans hired with regular work contracts. Their families are with them.

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[redacted]
numbers
Total/of workers employed in the establishment: 7500

Guard service of the establishment: ^{performed} ~~by~~ by the Industrial Militia.

Commanding officer: a lieutenant of the PEOPLES MILITIA.

Militiamen: about 300.

Guard service:- at the gates

- nightly rounds around the establishment (about 70 men every night)

Armament: German Mauser rifles.

^{Occupational} ~~On the job~~ accidents: from June 1950 to March 1951 there were 3 ^{fatal} accidents

~~nothing is done~~ in the establishment.

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Damage to installations: ~~one~~ day in October or November 1950, toward 1200, a blast furnace ~~was~~ damaged by an explosion ~~caused by~~ ~~some~~ of some foreign matter which was thrown into the furnace along with the ferrous material ~~and~~ despite the thorough inspection of each piece to be placed in the furnaces.

Cause: ~~It seems that it has been attributed to sabotage, but~~ ^{Because of} the severe intervention of the police and the investigation which followed, it can be assumed that the incident was attributed to sabotage.

The damaged furnace ceased operation for three days.

Morale of the workers in the establishment.

Distinction should be made between the two categories of workers:

- workers from the locality and its environs (30 %)
- workers from the other areas of the country (70 %)

~~The first~~ The workers in the first category are, in general, satisfied because they manage to live, as well as the case permits, near their families. The others, on the other hand, with the small pay they receive, are not even able to provide food for their families, who are far away from them.

For that reason, the dissatisfied workers are found in this group.

accidents occur daily ^{between} among these workers 50X1-HUM
and ~~in~~ their chiefs. ~~Thus~~ In November, ^{1950,} at the establishment upon the arrival of 170 workers from Montenegro, the barracks chief was seriously wounded with a ~~an~~ knife by one of ~~the~~ these men, ~~He did this~~ because they were exasperated at the ^{bad} poor treatment they received upon ~~their~~ arrival in contrast to the many promises of complete assistance made them when they were hired.

the police ~~also~~ also fear the wrath of the Serbs ^{by} 50X1-HUM
and Montenegrins, and ^{they} ~~must~~ to stay away from them as much as possible.

II) Motive power

Mar 51- ~~HYDR~~ Hydroelectric power plant of

It is now being completed. The Sava had previously been dammed with a wall about 80 meters high; thus its water had already formed an artificial lake.

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The turbines have already arrived, as they were equipped and built at the "LITOSTROJ" in LJUBLJANA.

The orders, ^{placed} ~~made~~ some time ago ^{with} ~~by~~ firms in eastern GERMANY, have not, for well known reasons, been continued.

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It is planned for this power plant to begin operations at the end of this year (construction was begun in 1946)

III) Building ~~and~~ concerns

Jun 50- The "ZIDGRAD" construction ^{enterprise} ~~company~~ was formed ~~from the~~ ^{by} merging of the "PRIMO RJE" and the "SOCIA"

It is in charge of the construction of the new GORIZIA.

IV) Wine cooperative

Dec 49- The "GORIZIA Wine Cooperative" is in charge of the collection of all the wine in the following areas: SAJGANO

- COLLNO

-GORIZIANO

Director: one ZOTIC, native of RANZIANO

Employees: 10-12

Workers: 35-40

Collection: In ~~the year~~ 1949 250 carloads of wine were collected. ~~the~~

Prices: - obligatory collection (an amount established by the committee for each producer): at 13 dinars a liter (for the best wine)
- ^{free} ~~open~~ market: 37-38 dinars a liter (also for the best wine)

Destination of the product:

- The best wine is sent to SLOVENIA, where it is bottled and then exported.

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- The ordinary wine is for domestic consumption.

The producers are allowed to keep 250 liters of wine for each member of the family over 17 years old.

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